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PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME

Assistant Commissioner for Patents
Washington, D.C. 20231

Sir:

The following extension of time is requested to further respond to the outstanding
Notification of Missing Requirements dated June 4, 2002 and the Notification of Defective
Response dated July 29, 2002:

five months to January 6, 2002 (January 4 and 5, 2002 were a Saturday and Sunday,
respectively); the extension fee is:

\$985.00 (2255) \$1,970.00 (1255).

The shortened statutory period has been reset by an Advisory Action dated

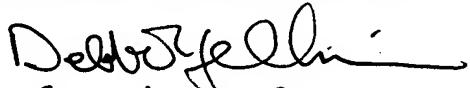
An extension fee in the amount of \$ 1,970.00 is enclosed.

Charge \$ _____ to Deposit Account No. 02-4800.

The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any appropriate fees under 37 C.F.R.
§§ 1.16, 1.17 and 1.21 that may be required by this paper, and to credit any overpayment, to
Deposit Account No. 02-4800. This paper is submitted in duplicate.

Respectfully submitted,

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